

Town Topics.

Rev. J. S. Johnson goes to Ohio in a few days.

Genuine \$5, \$6 and \$7 Sample Shoes. Three hundred styles at \$2.50. Keenes Shoe Store, 908 G St. N. W.

Mrs. Charles R. Douglas has returned.

Lawyer Perri W. Friby has been on the sick list.

Recorder Chatham has returned from North Carolina.

Night school opened Monday evening with a large attendance.

Mr. Chris McKinney is making a splendid reputation as an organist.

"The Feast in the Wilderness" at the Second Baptist church closes Monday evening.

It is intimated that Dr. A. M. Curtis will remain in Washington and practice medicine.

Mr. and Mrs. Edw. Nalle, of 11th St. Northwest, contemplate an extensive visit to New York.

Mrs. Jennie Fleet Greener, wife of Consul R. T. Greener, has been in the city the guest of Mrs. Gray.

Mr. J. R. Pollard, of the Census Bureau, is spending several days at his Richmond, Va. home.

Beginning with November 3 the Second Baptist Lyceum will hold meetings every Sunday at 3.30 p. m.

Be sure and read the announcement of the Lincoln school of need work elsewhere in this issue.

Many of our readers have asked "Why was Miss Emma Smith asked to resign from St. Luke's choir?"

A union meeting of all the local lyceums is advocated by President J. B. Atkins, of the Old Fellows' Lyceum.

Dr. A. W. Tancil has returned from the Shenandoah valley after having spent a pleasant and healthful vacation.

The Lincoln Temple choir made a brilliant start last Sunday and promises even a greater future than its eminent past.

Blind Tom appeared at the Second Baptist church, Tuesday evening, under the management of Rev. J. E. Smith.

Editor W. Calvin Chase reads a paper Monday evening before John Wesley Lyceum on "American Citizenship Civilization."

Miss Katie Moten, one of the most efficient attachés of the Congressional Library, is spending her vacation in Richmond.

Miss Mattie Strivling formerly of Alexandria, Va., but now of New York City, is visiting Miss Lillian Burton, of 727 3rd Street, Northwest.

Mr. J. C. Campbell has been to Charleston, West Va., fixing up his fences—political. There is no occasion for the young ladies of Washington to be alarmed.

Mr. W. T. Ferguson, of the Census Office, will spend a fortnight in New York city. He may find time to assist in the election of the Hon. Seth L. W. to the mayors'ity.

Discrimination continues at the Academy, Chase's and at Lafayette Square Theater. The Columbia and the National first-class houses, seem to be "on the level."

Mr. Clinton C. Johnson, who spent the summer as head man at the Grand Union Cafe at Saratogo, N. Y., has returned to the city much improved in health and appearance.

The Amphions' forthcoming song service under the auspices of the Second Baptist Lyceum will be the musical event of the autumn season. The date is Sunday, November 17th.

Mr. Jackson Gordon, a citizen of the Windy City and a probable candidate for legislative honors in Illinois, spent several days in our city last week. Mr. Gordon was accompanied by his wife.

Dr. Jas. L. Neill, of the Bureau of Pensions went up to \$1200 in the recent big batch of promotions. This is an especially worthy advancement as Dr. Neill is one of the very best clerks in the office.

After having spent a delightful trip through Western New York including Buffalo, Niagara Falls, Canada and Geneva Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Colbert and Mrs. John C. Griger of New York have returned home.

Madame Eline Prince Tartt, described as Richmond's Queen of Song, is announced for a concert at the Second Baptist church, Monday evening October 21st. She will be assisted by Madame Nettie Taylor Nickens.

Rev. and Mrs. Holland Powell of Richmond, Va., have arrived in the city after spending a month's vacation in Buffalo, Detroit and Canada. Mrs. Powell will remain in the city a few days as the guest of her sisters, the Misses Moten.

Mrs. E. Azalia Hackley, the handsome Prima Donna, who will appear at the Bureau Baptist Church in grand concert next Friday evening, has charmed the whole West by the marvelous correctness of her voice. Don't miss this chance to hear her.

Rev. I. L. Thomas, pastor of Asbury M. E. Church, 11th and K Streets, N. W., will commence his discourse on "Elijah" next Sunday. Song Services by a choir of forty voices are conducted each Sunday at 7:30 P. M. A bazaar will be held at the church during next month.

The people simply poured in upon Lincoln Temple last Sunday morning and evening, so that every available seat was taken and people had to stand for want of room. The sermon and music met the highest expectation. It is evident that a great future is before this new united church.

Miss Lydia Haneworth, of Columbia S. C., who had spent her summer vacation in Boston, was the guest of Mrs. H. Y. Arnett and Miss Corinne V. Wallace of 325 T Street, Northwest last week. She was the recipient of many social courtesies at the hands of her hosts' many friends.

Mr. R. E. Tormey of Le Droit Park is reported to be quite ill. He is now in Garfield Hospital for treatment. He was run over by a heavy wagon while in a bicycle collision and later sprained his back. He and his very estimable family have the sympathy of The Colored American and his friends.

Hon. Elmond H. Deas has been selected as member of the Republican National Committee from South Carolina and thus becomes the associate of Hon. Judson W. Loy's representative of Georgia. These two stalwart politicians may be depended upon to serve the best interest of the colored electors.

Mrs. Henrietta Butler of Baltimore has been in attendance upon her cousin Mrs. Henrietta Marshall during her recent illness, the result of a surgical operation. Mrs. Butler was shown every kindness by Mrs. Marshall's friends. She is the young widow of the late Robert Butler who was one of Atlantic City's most popular young men. Mrs. Marshall accompanied her back to Baltimore.

COLISEUM.

Friday, October 18th, 4.30 P. M.

Grand Colored Bicycle Meet

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LIST OF EVENTS:

1. One Mile Novice—Gold Medal
2. Half Mile Championship D. C.—Gold Medal.
3. One Mile Handicap—3 Prizes.
4. Match Race—Tom Goode, of Baltimore, Champion of Maryland, Wallace Coleman and Will Lee, of District—Loving Cup.

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